

Explore Orange County, NC

Towns of Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough

Weekly Calendar of Events

November 17, 2020

Below is a selection of virtual events to enjoy from the comfort of your home and a few onsite events. When you go out, please stay safe due to COVID 19. Face Covering Requirement in North Carolina: Any person age 5 or older must **wear** a face covering at all times while in public settings. Also **wait** six feet apart, **wash** your hands and use hand sanitizer. Stay safe while you experience Chapel Hill, Carrboro, Hillsborough and Orange County. <http://www.orangecountync.gov/masks>

Thanksgiving is around the corner. Here are some Orange County, NC area restaurants, markets and other venues to help you plan your 2020 Thanksgiving Meal. Included are Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough dine-in and carry-out options. Visit the websites or call to check out reservation requirements and pre-ordering meal deadlines. Check back often as this list is updated. <https://www.visit Chapel Hill.org/articles/post/thanksgiving-dining-in-orange-county-nc-in-2020/>

On November 17, 5:30-6:30pm join Director of Athletics Bubba Cunningham and “Voice of the Tar Heels” Jones Angell ’01 for a virtual discussion about the state of college athletics. Bubba and Jones will explore priorities, projects and pressures – from the budget to Name, Image and Likeness, to youth sports and health, to our Carolina values as we move forward. You also will have an opportunity to ask Bubba questions about what interests you most about Carolina Athletics. Register today for this insiders’ conversation! <https://goheels.com/>

Cat’s Cradle line up for the coming week: Nov 17, 9pm \$15 "To You" Live Stream via NoonChorus, Sylvan Esso: From the Satellite. Nov 18, 8pm Free, Just Announced: Live Streaming from Cat's Cradle! Carolina Waves and MirsEmpire Present: Waves In Motion, Nunafterhours, Rashaad King, SITCH, Davaun, Jabron Cole. Nov 19 (2 shows) 8pm \$20 Lucinda Williams Livestream Series - Lu’s Jukebox, Bob's Back Pages: A Night of Bob Dylan Songs & 9pm \$20 Livestream Series: John Doe’s Travis County World Tour, Live from C-Boys, SAT, Nov 21, (2 shows) 7pm Carrboro Film Festival & 8pm \$25 A Residency Streaming Live from The Continental in Austin, TX - Patty Griffin. Please support the shows at Cat’s Cradle! <https://catscradle.com/>

Join Orange County Historical Museum Site Manager Tanya Day on Nov 19, 7-8pm for a virtual class where you will make your own pair of felt moccasins and learn about the most important transportation tool on the Great Trading Path. Suitable for ages 8+. For more information or to register for a program, email manager@orangehistorync.org or visit <https://www.orangehistorync.org/events>

It's that time of year for the Carrboro Film Fest! Featuring virtual screenings, livestreamed filmmaker panels, and prize giveaways, the 15th Carrboro Film Fest is coming November 20 – 29. Southern films in one of the South's funkier small towns. <https://www.carrborofilm.org/>

Virtual Event on Nov 19 at 7:30pm - Join us for the third episode of The Spark with Tift Merritt, featuring Wynton Marsalis and Carlos Henriquez. In this livestreamed series, Grammy-nominated singer/songwriter and UNC alumna Tift Merritt returns to Carolina Performing Arts to take us behind the scenes in artist-to-artist video interviews that delve deep into the creative process. <https://carolinaperformingarts.org/>

Southern Village Holiday Tree Lighting & Movie, November 21st, 6-9pm, come out for the Holiday Tree Lighting and holiday movie, ELF, music, free hot chocolate and Santa Claus! <http://www.southernvillage.com/>

Kidzu Children's Museum is preparing our outdoor garden for the winter! During our Virtual Tuck in the Garden event, we will learn how to care for plants in the cold, read a story to help our garden get ready for its winter sleep, and create bugs out of autumn leaves! Kidzu's Virtual Tuck in the Garden will be on Saturday, November 21 at 2pm and facilitated through Facebook. This event is free to attend, but registration is required to view the program at the scheduled time. All local registrants will receive a complimentary seed packet while supplies last. <https://www.kidzuchildrensmuseum.org/>

The Chapel Hill Downtown Partnership is bringing live music to downtown. Now is the time to support local business and local musicians who don't have venues to perform in. Saturday nights in November from 6-8pm, come out to see and hear live music by a variety of talented performers along Franklin Street (& the cross streets) throughout downtown. For more info visit: <https://downtownchapelhill.com/savethemusicstreetseries/>

Holiday Crafts Market at the Chapel Hill Farmers' Market – It is one stop shopping for all your winter holiday needs! You'll find wonderful crafters and artists ready with gift ideas alongside our farmers and local food artisans on Saturdays this month from 9-noon. It's a wonderful time of year to be thinking of others, shopping from the heart and supporting small local businesses. <https://www.thechapelhillfarmersmarket.com/>

The Devil and Mark Twain – Virtual: The ArtsCenter is proud to premiere a FREE virtual performance, the final act of Full Nelson Playwrights Theater's The Devil and Mark Twain, the acclaimed one-man show from our 2018-2019 Performance Season. The Devil and Mark Twain stars Paul Newell as Twain and explores his complex relationship with his characters and race in America in a rich and revealing trip into the mind, heart, and indomitable spirit of America's most famous author. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XT2jqxQ2rrA&feature=youtu.be>

